

1-1 By: Lucio, Campbell, Hall S.B. No. 588  
1-2 (In the Senate - Filed January 24, 2017; February 8, 2017,  
1-3 read first time and referred to Committee on Veteran Affairs &  
1-4 Border Security; April 11, 2017, reported favorably by the  
1-5 following vote: Yeas 6, Nays 0; April 11, 2017, sent to printer.)

1-6 COMMITTEE VOTE

	Yea	Nay	Absent	PNV
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1-15 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED  
1-16 AN ACT

1-17 relating to information regarding private employers who have  
1-18 veteran's employment preference policies.

1-19 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

1-20 SECTION 1. Subchapter A, Chapter 434, Government Code, is  
1-21 amended by adding Section 434.024 to read as follows:

1-22 Sec. 434.024. INFORMATION REGARDING VETERAN'S EMPLOYMENT  
1-23 PREFERENCE POLICIES. The commission shall make available on its  
1-24 website a list of each private employer who has provided notice  
1-25 under Section 23.002(c), Labor Code, regarding a veteran's  
1-26 employment preference policy.

1-27 SECTION 2. Section 23.002, Labor Code, is amended by adding  
1-28 Subsection (c) to read as follows:

1-29 (c) A private employer may provide notice to the Texas  
1-30 Workforce Commission or the Texas Veterans Commission that the  
1-31 employer has adopted a policy under this section.

1-32 SECTION 3. Subchapter D, Chapter 301, Labor Code, is  
1-33 amended by adding Section 301.070 to read as follows:

1-34 Sec. 301.070. INFORMATION REGARDING VETERAN'S EMPLOYMENT  
1-35 PREFERENCE POLICIES. The commission shall make available on its  
1-36 website a list of each private employer who has provided notice  
1-37 under Section 23.002(c) regarding a veteran's employment  
1-38 preference policy.

1-39 SECTION 4. This Act takes effect September 1, 2017.

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